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SIR:

Responsive to the Final Rejection dated March 29, 2006, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendment and remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

